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SUBJECT: U.S. SECRET SERVICE AWARD PRESENTED TO SENIOR
LOCAL INVESTIGATOR, NICHOLAS G. DAMIGOS

REF: TELECON RSO ROBINSON/ST. MARS 10/14/77

1. AS REQUESTED, FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF A LETTER CITATION PRESENTED TO MR. DAMIGOS BY THE U.S. SECRET SERVICE AT A CEREMONY AT THAT AGENCY ON 10/13/77. BEGIN QUOTE: MR. NICHOLAS G. DAMIGOS, LOCAL INVESTIGATOR, AMERICAN EMBASSY, ATHENS, GREECE. DEAR NICK: IT IS WITH GREAT PLEASURE THAT I THANK YOU FOR THE OUTSTANDING ASSISTANCE AND COOPERATION THAT YOU HAVE SO GRACIOUSLY EXTENDED TO THE U.S. SECRET SERVICE. PARAGRAPH. YOU HAVE SUPPORTED BOTH OUR PROTECTIVE AND INVESTIGATIVE MISSIONS IN GREECE FOR MANY YEARS AND HAVE BEEN ESPECIALLY HELPFUL DURING NUMEROUS VISITS OF OUR PROTECTEES. THE SECRET SERVICE GREATLY DEPENDS UPON THE UNDERSTANDING AND COOPERATION OF EMBASSY SECURITY PERSONNEL WHEN OUR PROTECTEES ARE VISITING ABROAD, AND WE ARE DEEPLY GRATEFUL FOR YOUR SUPPORT. PARAGRAPH. IN RECOGNITION, I AM PLEASED TO PRESENT TO YOU OUR HIGHEST
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AWARD -- THE DIRECTOR'S HONOR AWARD -- AND TO EXTEND OUR
WARMEST BEST WISHES. SINCERELY, H.S. KNIGHT, DIRECTOR.

END QUOTE.

2. ACCOMPANYING THE LETTER WAS A HANDSOMELY ENGRAVED
PLAQUE PRESENTED TO MR. DAMIGOS WITH THE FOLLOWING IN-

SCRIBED CITATION. BEGIN QUOTE. DEPARTMENT OF THE
TREASURY, U. S. SECRET SERVICE, DIRECTOR'S HONOR AWARD.
PRESENTED TO NICHOLAS G. DAMIGOS IN RECOGNITION OF AND
APPRECIATION FOR OUTSTANDING COOPERATION AND INVALUABLE
ASSISTANCE IN BEHALF OF THE PROTECTIVE AND INVESTIGATIVE
RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE U. S. SECRET SERVICE. SIGNED
H. S. KNIGHT, DIRECTOR. END QUOTE. VANCE

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